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Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 20, 2006, Applicants respectfully submit this Response. Please consider the following remarks for allowance of the above identified patent application. A petition for a two month extension of time is hereby requested. As indicated on the transmittal form, a fee for the two month extension fee is included herewith.

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